improvements, and it is deemed advisable to put certain doubts and all others that might arise concerning same forever at rest;

Now, THEREFORE,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That all proceedings heretofore taken by the City Council of the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, authorizing and providing for the payment of certain improvements in connection with the establishment of temporary homes for veterans of World War II are hereby legalized, validated and confirmed and said obligations are hereby declared to be legal and to constitute valid and binding obligations of said city.
- SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and in the Marion Sentinel, a newspaper published in the city of Marion, Iowa, all without expense to the state.

Approved April 9, 1947.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Cedar Rapids Gazette, April 16, 1947, and the Marion Sentinel, April 10, 1947.

ROLLO H. BERGESON, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 333

## CITY OF CLINTON LEGALIZING ACT H. F. 358

AN ACT to legalize the actions of the city council and the city clerk of the city of Clinton, Iowa, in making expenditures, incurring indebtedness, and issuing warrants and certificates of indebtedness on the general fund of the city of Clinton, in the amounts of sixteen thousand six hundred thirty-two dollars and forty-three cents (\$16,632.43), to the fire maintenance fund in the amount of fifteen thousand four hundred sixty-eight dollars and seventy cents (\$15,468.70), for street department salaries in the amount of ten thousand eight hundred eighty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents (\$10,889.35), and to other funds of the city of Clinton, Iowa, in the amount of five thousand five hundred ninety-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$5,592.13), and providing that the total indebtedness thus incurred of forty-eight thousand five hundred eighty-two dollars and sixty-one cents (\$48,582.61) shall constitute a legal, binding and valid obligation of the city of Clinton, Iowa.

Whereas, the city of Clinton, Iowa, because of increased cost of operation of the functions of city government due to large increases in population and inflationary conditions which have existed in recent years has been unable to meet the necessary and legitimate costs of operation of the municipal government of the city of Clinton, and

WHEREAS, the city of Clinton has become indebted to the amount of forty-eight thousand five hundred eighty-two dollars and sixty-one cents (\$48,582.61) which cannot be paid from current revenues without greatly hampering the operation of municipal government in the city of Clinton, and

WHEREAS, each and every obligation incurred as set forth in the title of this act was for the benefit of the general welfare and good of the citizens of Clinton, Iowa, now, therefore

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- That the action of the City council of the city of Clinton, Iowa, in incurring indebtedness in excess of budget appropriations and anticipated revenues in the sum of forty-eight thousand five hundred eighty-two dollars and sixty-one cents (\$48,582.61), including obligations of sixteen thousand six hundred thirty-two dollars and fortythree cents (\$16,632.43) to the general fund, fifteen thousand four hundred sixty-eight dollars and seventy cents (\$15,468.70) to the fire maintenance fund, ten thousand eight hundred eighty-nine dollars 8 and thirty-five cents (\$10,889.35) to the street department fund, and 10 five thousand five hundred ninety-two dollars and thirteen cents (\$5,592.13) in miscellaneous unpaid bills chargeable to other funds, 11 12 be and the same are hereby legalized and such obligations are hereby declared to constitute legal, binding and valid obligations and evidences 13 14 of indebtedness of said city.
- SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in The Clinton Herald, a newspaper published in Clinton, Iowa, and in the Dewitt Observer, a newspaper published at Dewitt, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 25, 1947.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in The Clinton Herald, March 26, 1947, and the Dewitt Observer, March 27, 1947.

ROLLO H. BERGESON, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 334

## CITY OF INDEPENDENCE LEGALIZING ACT

H. F. 196

AN ACT to legalize the action of the city council of the city of Independence, Iowa, in respect to the purchase of a tract of land near the city of Independence, Iowa, for the construction of a municipal airport.

WHEREAS, on the 22nd day of January, 1945, the city council of the city of Independence, Iowa, passed a resolution to purchase the following described real estate: "The east one-half  $(\frac{1}{2})$  of section two (2), township eighty-eight (88), range ten (10), except the east four (4) rods thereof, legally described as follows:

E fr ½ NE ex E4r sec. 2-88-10 W fr ½ NE sec. 2-88-10 NE SE ex E4r sec. 2-88-10 NW SE sec. 2-88-10 SW SE sec. 2-88-10 SE SE ex E4r sec. 2-88-10 This section 2-88-10 is fractional,"

for a municipal airport site.